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Applicant(s): T. KONDOH et al

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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed
September 16, 2004, the term for response to which is extended by
three months by petition filed concurrently herewith to
March 16, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-9, 11-14,
16 and 19-27 are canceled; and claims 10, 15, 17 and 18 are
maintained.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.